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Roy HANSSON

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ABSORBENT ARTICLE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

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Responsive to the Official Action of March 10, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Change the title throughout, declaration excepted, to --ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH BELT PORTIONS HAVING INDICIA--.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Rewrite the Abstract of the Disclosure as on the accompanying separate sheet.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 2, replace the paragraph beginning on line 9 as follows:

one problem for the user or the nursing personnel is to know whether the absorbing diaper part of the article is centered on the back of the user. When the belt is applied,

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